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The St. Louis Keynote.

Chairman Glynn's speech, naturally and necessarily, was a glorification of the President. In reciting the record in detail the speaker itemized his eulogy. The whole story is Wilson. There is nothing else to it. The President has been his own foreign minister, and in domestic matters Congress has but registered his will. If, therefore, success has been achieved, as Gov. Glynn claims, the credit is the President's. In summing up, the speaker took a high flight, and fixed the President's place among the stars.

He had the convention with him. Applause greeted every point he made. The delegates knew that the speech had been read and approved by the President, and that gave them their cue. "What is harmony, papa?" asked the little boy. "Harmony, my son, is when mamma, with a look in her eye, says a thing, and papa, noting that look, agrees." "No delegate, with the knowledge all had that the chairman was speaking for the President, thought it advisable to disagree."

Chairman McCombs, preceding Chairman Glynn, closed his remarks with this statement: "The elephant is dead, the goose is dead. Long live the American eagle!" But the eagle is not a party emblem. The donkey is. Is the donkey asping its end? That is the question. It is alive today. But will it survive November?

As the convention is all Wilson, the campaign in support of its action must be. All democratic orators will copy the example of Gov. Glynn. All will become eulogists of the President. Some are not now, and will not then be, in agreement with the President about every item of the record. Mr. Bryan, for an instance. But none will speak but in advocacy of the President's re-election. All will urge that Mr. Bryan with as many eloquent words as Gov. Glynn.

Allowance will have to be made for this in speculating about what will follow democratic success at the polls. Will the President, if endorsed in November, be able to redeem his promises, and extend his record according to chart? Will the party, apparently harmonious now, remain so when redemption day arrives? Silver democrats and protection democrats supported Mr. Cleveland in 1892—and without their support he could not have been elected—but they revolted after election, and the administration they had helped bring in failed.

The President is managing his horses very well now; but a severer test awaits him if he wins this race. Keeping an inharmonious team harmonious then will require a rare exhibition of skill by the man on the box.

Col. Roosevelt announced that he will devote himself to writing. Assuming that a man instinctively writes on the subject about which he knows most, this disposes of any theory that he will have no further remarks to offer on current political conditions.

European nations have obligated themselves for a price that staggers humanity, but have given no intimation of what they are going to do when the bill collector comes around.

The Russian Wave.

Continued progress by the Russian armies invading Galicia and striking at the recovery of lost ground in Volhynia is reported in dispatches from Petrograd and indicated in the reports from Berlin and Vienna. Two definite objectives appear to be in the Russian view, Lemberg and Czernowitz. Both of these cities have been in Russian hands heretofore during the war. The early capture of Czernowitz is apparently inevitable, as the Russian forces have pressed across the Dniester river and have reached the main line of railway communication with the Bukovina capital. If this flanking force, which has reached Sniatyn about twenty miles northwest of Czernowitz, continues in its present direction it will have rendered the retention of Czernowitz impossible. There would in that event probably be but one line of retreat for the garrison, and that is across the Carpathians. Another large capture of Austrian forces would thus be rendered possible, to add to the 120,000 prisoners forming the latest score of Russian success.

Northwest of Czernowitz about 175 miles lies Lemberg, capital of Galicia, which the Russians held for some time last year. A movement is under way in Volhynia which is designed to cut the northern communications with Lemberg. Toward Kovel a force is now pressing from Lutsk, obviously hoping to cut the Austrian line north of the Galician capital. It is plainly Gen. Brusilov's policy to divide the Austrian forces into three isolated sections, the left flank in Volhynia, the center in

Galicia and the right in Bukovina, and, following the ancient military principle, to conquer in detail. Perhaps with a design to prevent the sending of German reinforcements to the hard pressed Austrians a vigorous offensive is reported to have been undertaken by the Russians at Baranovich, an important railroad junction about seventy-five miles due north of Pinsk, which is generally the division point between the Austrian and German lines in Russia. Berlin reports that this attack was fruitless, but it plainly has its significance as a part of the general Russian strategy.

Doubtless as a result of the heavy pressure maintained by the Russians on the eastern front and the consequent weakening of the line for reinforcements the Austrian offensive in Italy has been suddenly changed to a defensive action, marked already by material retreat from lately captured territory. It is reported that the Italians have regained about forty-five square miles of the terrain lost to the Austrians during the past few weeks, and are vigorously pressing them northward. Whether the Russian drive was intended specifically to relieve Italy from the menacing Austrian advance or was undertaken solely for Russian reasons, the effect is nevertheless plain in the material easement of the Italian situation.

An Enthusiastic Partisan.

This is taken from an interview with Henry Morgenthau, telegraphed from St. Louis:

"It is seldom that the real public opinion of the nation can be ascertained on any important issue—the current and cross and counter currents are most confusing. Straw votes are some guide, but more frequently misleading. Primaries in the various states produce favorite sons, but no intelligent verdict. This time public opinion has been unmistakably ascertained. It is almost unanimous in its approval of the deliberate, calm, wise and firm method of Woodrow Wilson. The democrats are absolutely delighted with their President."

Mr. Morgenthau is a staunch democrat, and so earnestly solicitous for Mr. Wilson's re-election that his presence at this time in the country is due to his keen desire to assist in the campaign. He was ambassador to Turkey, and rendering most efficient service, but resigned because of a feeling that the home field would afford him opportunity to do some very necessary work for the leader of his party. And Mr. Morgenthau's assignment when the campaign opens will be in keeping with his experience and well known ability.

But in this interview—if he has been quoted correctly—Mr. Morgenthau overstates his case. If it were true that "public opinion has been unmistakably ascertained," and that "it is almost unanimous in its approval of the deliberate, calm, wise and firm method of Woodrow Wilson," no democratic campaign would be necessary. Mr. Wilson and his friends could await with composure the dawn of election day.

But, as a matter of fact, public opinion is far from being unanimous in Mr. Wilson's favor. He and his friends are doing some very serious thinking. They had hoped for the nomination of Mr. Roosevelt by the republicans. They are faced instead by the nomination of Mr. Hughes made on the third ballot with unanimity, and informally endorsed since by many bull moose who in another convention shouted for Roosevelt.

A very warm campaign is on the card; and maybe nobody knows this better than Mr. Morgenthau. He is a New Yorker, and can recall the record Mr. Hughes made in the office of governor, and how the people, with but small regard to party, held up Gov. Hughes' hands in the many things he did for the public welfare.

Many other New Yorkers are recalling the same thing, and many are taking the Hughes side now, believing that as President Mr. Hughes would serve as satisfactorily as he did as governor of the Empire state.

Mr. Morgenthau is indulging in the enthusiasm of a good partisan—a thing, however, that sometimes goes to the head. He will find plenty to do between now and November—enough to convince him that matters are not, by a long shot, all one way.

The man who regulates his political sentiments by a study of the betting odds is liable to undergo some rather rapid changes of opinion.

Every time Mexicans are organized to depose a chieftain it is argued to them that they are aiming a blow at the U. S. A.

There can be no very serious difference between candidates on the general propositions of America first or undiluted Americanism.

The affairs of the democratic party are simplified by the absence of any doubt as to where the complete authority of leadership rests.

A Great Success.

Viewed in the perspective, yesterday's preparedness parade in this city must be rated as one of the most successful demonstrations ever undertaken in Washington. As a spectacle it compared favorably with other great pageants held here, such as inauguration parades and great marches of citizens and soldiers. Its most dominating feature, however, was its exclusively local character. It was, in every sense of the word, Washingtonian. It represented the Washington city as never before in history.

Nothing but praise can be given to the management of the parade. It was admirably arranged, and it moved with promptness and precision. There were no gaps to tire the multitude of spectators and the halts were very few and brief. For five hours the line was kept on the move, affording a constantly varying human panorama. While the parade lacked the glitter of military uniforms, save for one short section, it was not lacking in diversified interest,

and it had, dominating all other qualities, that of personality.

The spirit of great sincerity marked the entire proceeding. The marchers were serious and intent upon manifesting the purpose for which they appeared in line. It was no holiday-making crowd that paraded along the Avenue, but one that felt the gravity of the occasion. The floats were ingenious and impressive, reflecting credit upon those who devised and occupied them.

Those who were in charge of the preparedness parade are entitled to the warm congratulations of Washington, and without undue differentiation it is due to Marshal Hazen to compliment him upon the smoothness with which the plans were executed, and the parade was kept in motion from the minute assigned for the start. Washington has done itself proud in this production and established a record in the line of preparedness parades that is not likely to be broken by any other city.

The Fly Fight.

The time has come to think of fighting flies. Unfortunately this is a perennial task, for the flies have by no means been exterminated, notwithstanding the slaughter of the past few years as a result of organized campaigns against them. Fly swatters, fly paper and fly traps are recommended for general and persistent use. Every fly killed is a gain for health, for each fly may be the progenitor of millions of others, as well as a present nuisance.

The Department of Agriculture has declared that fly traps are the best means of getting rid of the pests, for they destroy by wholesale and can be located at the points where flies are most likely to gather. A simple form of fly trap has been described in The Star which can be made for a small sum and has a capacity of great numbers of victims.

Fly catching, however, is not all that is necessary for this work for the prevention of disease spread. All places where the flies lay their eggs and the young are hatched must be secured. Flies breed in dirt, in old rags, in waste paper, any place where there is refuse and dampness. Premises that are kept clean will not breed flies, although they are infested with flies bred in dirty places nearby. It is to the interest of everybody to keep the flies from breeding, and to this end every householder and every business man should make certain of the cleanliness of the premises, and meanwhile catch every fly that can be lured into a trap.

Theodore Roosevelt has never been backward in reminding political associates of their plain duty and there is now an earnest disposition to reciprocate.

The responsibilities given Secretary Baker at St. Louis were not allotted because of expectation of any warlike demonstration.

The democrats and republicans will now proceed with their usual generous efforts to show each other where they made their great mistakes.

At Baltimore four years ago it was never suspected that Col. Bryan would be content to attend a democratic convention as one of those who also wrote.

"To feel like a bull moose" is a phrase once regarded as expressing the highest possible degree of physical and temperamental exuberance.

Even the opponents of Vice President Marshall have not attempted any serious criticism of his public policies during the past three or four years.

What is expected of a convention this year is determination rather than enthusiasm.

SHOOTING STARS.

BY PHILANDER JOHNSON.

A Guiding Spirit.

"Did you run the steam roller at the convention?"

"No, I care not who operates the vehicles so long as I can have a hand in making the traffic regulations."

Generous Attention.

"Why do you worry that public man by trying to interview him?"

"So as to save him the far greater anxiety he'd suffer if he thought nobody cared to interview him."

That Bee.

The presidential bee anew.

Doth buzz the populace among.

He carries honey for the few,

While others seeking it get stung.

Admiration of Authority.

"Would you like to see your wife go into politics and be a boss?"

"Certainly," replied Mr. Meekton.

"I'd really enjoy having Henrietta step in and show some of these practical politicians what a real boss is like."

Attitude of Confidence.

"You admit that you may be wrong in your conclusions?"

"I admit that I may be wrong," replied Senator Borghum.

"But I never admit that such a thing has happened as yet."

No Use, Whatever.

No use o' frettin' when things don't go right.

When the sun fades away an' the clouds drift in sight.

Complainin' won't hurry the shadows away.

But no shadow is built that won't vanish, some day.

Disappointments are layin' in wait everywhere.

An' so long as you're human you must take your share.

Shut your eyes to the darkness an' wait for the light.

There's no use o' frettin' when things don't go right.



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Friday Only.

The Palais Royal has to beat the corresponding week of last year. Minus a day this year—hence the necessity of doing two days of business in one. Tomorrow's "specials" will assure success.

## On Street Floor.

MEN'S \$5 Silk Shirts at \$3.45 and \$1.00 Madras and other Negligee Shirts. 59c

MEN'S 35c Silk Wash Ties—any four for \$1.00. Each. 29c

MEN'S \$4 Silk and Silk and Linen Pajamas at \$2.95, and \$1.00 Night Robes. 69c

MEN'S "Varsity" \$1.00 Nainsook Union Suits at 50c and 50c Shirts and Drawers at 39c

MEN'S \$25.00 Cloth Suits of all-wool cloths. \$16.75

PARASOLS—All silk, plain colors, stripes and border of all colors. \$2.50 value. \$1.88

PARASOLS—Season's newest shapes and colors; also umbrellas for sun and rain. \$5.00 value. \$3.29

GLOVES—Chamoisette and Silk Gloves, with double finger tips; embroidered backs. 50c value. 47c

SILK GLOVES—16-button length, double finger tips; white and black. Regular price, \$1.00. 84c

KID GLOVES—16-button length; white and black; fitted at our risk. Regular price, \$2.50. \$2.19

CHILDREN'S PARASOLS—Silk, all colors; some finished with small ruffles. \$1.25 value. 97c

JEWELRY—Pearl, Jet and Coral Earrings, Bead Necklaces, Sterling Silver Hat Pins, Brooches and Bar Pins, Gun Metal and German Silver Purse, Lavalliers, with stone settings; Bangles, Bracelets, Cuff Links, Sterling Silver and Gold Filled Safety Lingerie Clasps, etc. All 25c 21c

Pearl Hat Pins, Gold Filled Bar Pins, with coral settings; Brooches and Lavalliers with stone settings; Sterling Silver and Gold Filled Bangles, Bracelets, Cuff Links, Sterling Silver and Gold Filled Safety Lingerie Clasps, etc. All 25c 21c

Lavalliers, Bar Pins, Bracelets, Earrings, Pearl Beads, Brooches, Circle Pins, Hat Pins, Cuff Buttons, etc. Samples worth 10c 10c

STATIONERY—Old Plymouth Lawn Writing Paper, Regular price, 35c pound. 25c

Envelopes to match. Package 10c

100 Visiting Cards, with your name printed to order. Regular price, 30c. 32c

200 Business Cards, printed. Regular price, \$1.00. 75c

HANDS—Black moire with inside frame and mirror; also Seal Leather Handbags, fitted with purse and mirror. \$1.00 value. 79c

TOILETS—Djer-Kiss Face Powder. Regular price, 50c. 39c

15c box Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum Powder; also 15c bar of Floating Castle Soap. 12c

Kolyons Tooth Paste, regular price, 15c tube. 15c

DRESS SHIELDS—Every pair guaranteed. 2 for \$1.00. 25c

25c; also Self-Adjustable Hair Nets, 3 for 75c. 25c

BIBBONS—Satin, Taffeta, Dressing and Checks, 4 to 5 inches wide. Regular price, 35c. 22c

Satin, Taffeta and Dresden Ribbons, 4 1/2 inches wide. Regular price, 15c/yd. 17c

Sash Ribbons, moire effects, self figured; 7 inches wide. Regular price, 50c yard. 42c

EMBROIDERIES—S is a and Nainsook Flouncings; 18 inches wide; blind and open work effects. Regular price, 30c. 22c

Embroidered Voile Flouncings, with 3 rows of scallops, in colors; 36 inches wide. Regular price, 75c yard. 59c

HANDKERCHIEFS—Chiffon, with plain, blue lavender and yellow borders. 3 for 25c. 10c

LACES—Radium and Shadow Lace Demi Flouncings, 12 and 16 inches; white, cream and black. Value, 75c yard. 50c

Valenciennes Lace Edges and Insertions, 12-yard pieces; 75c and \$1.00 values. 50c

Cluny Lace Edges and Insertions, 2 to 4 inches wide; 35c and 30c values. Yard. 19c

Torchon Lace Edges, 2 to 4 inches wide. Value to 15c. 5c

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"Onyx" Hose were introduced to Washington by the Palais Royal more than a quarter century ago—and every year since a Semi-annual Clearing Sale of the cream of the importer's surplus summer stock has occurred here. It means much—first choice for us and you.

With vast quantities as well as endless variety—and with prices to make selections for future as well as present needs an object—all old patrons and many new ones should respond. See list below, giving brief descriptions and the prices:

## Important

The Palais Royal's annual sale of Summer Hose—ery at nominal prices is associated this year with all the famous makes.

## 7,850 Pairs For Ladies and Juveniles.

## "ONYX"

New Building, Eleventh Street, Street Floor.

## The List

Only the best Hosiery—"Onyx," "Conqueror," Kayser's, Phoenix, Burson's, Columbia Mills, Ipswich, "Palais Royal."

## 25c "Onyx," 15c 6 Pairs, 79c.

25c "Onyx" Hose, maco yarn, lisle, all sizes, in black, white and colors.

25c Women's, Girls' and Boys' Hose, Children's Socks, black, white and novelty check and strip tops.

## 50c "Onyx," 29c 4 Pairs, \$1.00.

50c "Onyx" Fiber Silk and Lisle Boot Hose; plain and novelties. 29c pair, 4 pairs for \$1.00.

25c Children's Silk Socks, black, white and colors. All sizes in all styles.

## 75c "Onyx," 39c 3 Pairs, \$1.05.

75c "Onyx" Silk Lisle and Sea Island Cotton; black, white and colors.

25c Women of discrimination know and wear these superfine hose.

## \$1.00 "Onyx," 49c 3 Pairs, \$1.39.

\$1.00 "Onyx" Silk and Gauze Lisle Hose are in this grand lot; all styles.

25c Women's Hose in all sizes, in black, white and colors.

## \$3.00 "Onyx," \$1.95 3 Pairs, \$5.69.

\$3.00 "Onyx" Hose; daintily embroidered and clocked; black and all colors.

25c These are Parisian style for this summer of 1916.

## "Merode"

Glove-fitting Ribbed Underwear.

Those not familiar with the "Merode" Underwear should learn that every garment is hand finished, superior in every detail, perfect fitting. Like "Onyx" Hose, "Merode" Underwear has been made famous by the Palais Royal in Washington, and this annual sale at nearly half usual prices is now looked forward to with eager anticipation.

Why not secure a supply for the family? You'll note that while each "Merode" garment is offered at a greatly reduced price, a greater reduction is made to purchasers of six pieces.

The list below tells of both the "Merode" and "Crestwood" Underwear, the specialties adopted and guaranteed by the Palais Royal.

## Lot 1 15c 5 for 75c.

Women's 25c Quality Swiss Ribbed Vests, regular and extra sizes.

25c Vests with low neck, plain and fancy yokes; short and shield sleeves.

## Lot 2 25c 5 for \$1.39.

Women's 50c quality of Union Suits, Vests, Pants, Tights, Corset Covers.

25c The small, medium, large and extra large sizes will be found in all these garments.

## Lot 3 39c 3 for \$1.05.

Women's 75c quality of Union Suits and Separate Garments. All sizes.

25c The Glove-fitting Ribbed Suits, with plain and fancy yokes; also Vests, Pants, Tights, etc.

## Lot 4 49c 3 for \$1.39.

Women's 98c Quality "Merode" garments are included in this great lot.

25c Note the crocheted yokes to the Union Suits, and Separate Vests; Pants and Tights also.

## Lot 5 59c 3 for \$1.65.

Women's \$1.00 Union Suits, with crocheted yokes and lace-trimmed pants.

25c Union Suits, with short and no sleeves; also Vests and Pants, attractively embellished.

## Lot 6 95c 3 for \$2.79.

Women's \$2.00 quality of Silklike Mercerized Union Suits and Silk Vests.

25c Plain, crocheted and hem-stitched garments, the acme of style, grace and comfort; all sizes.

## Lot 7 \$1.29 3 for \$3.69.

Women's \$2.00 Quality Silk-finished Lisle Union Suits, in all sizes.

25c Also Silk and Lisle Vests and Camisoles, all sizes in white and pink. Hurry for the pure silk garments.

## Lot 8 25c 6 for \$1.39.

Juveniles' Nainsook Union Suits in all sizes. 39c to 50c values.

25c For boys of 6 to 12 and girls of 2 to 12 years, inclusive.

## \$1.00 Summer Lingerie, 88c

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The Palais Royal's equally famous \$1.00 Middy Blouses, all-white and with collar and cuffs, in green, red, Copenhagen or navy blues. New straight and belted models, some with laced sides. Juveniles, 6 to 12 years. Misses, 13 to 18 years. Adults, 34 to 42 bust. 88c for choice—tomorrow only.

## PALAIS ROYAL—STREET AND THIRD FLOORS.

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Specials for Tomorrow.

## On Second Floor.

BOYS' \$4.95 Norfolk Suits, \$3.55 of all-wool cloths.

BOYS' Straw Hats, various lots. Were to \$1.75. 95c

BOYS' Guaranteed \$1.00 Wash Suits, ages 2 1/2 to 7. 79c

MILLINERY—Untrimmed Hats, all styles, shapes and colors. \$1.39

Sport Hats, in all colors and striped effects. \$2.50 value. \$1.95

White Hats, trimmed with white flowers, fruit, wings and ribbon. \$5.00

TUB FABRICS—Egyptian Printed Voiles, chaille effects; 40 inches wide. Value, 25c yard. 15c

TABLE DAMASK—Mercerized and bleached; many choice designs; 60 inches wide. Value, 50c 31c

SILKS—34-inch Chiffon Taffeta, gray, old rose, light blue, rose, mauve, Russian, Havana, wistaria, black and changeable. Regu- 95c

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